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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:)
Thomas E. Tamburrini et al.) Group Art Unit: 2624
Serial No.: 09/557,637) Examiner: Do, Anh Hong
Filed: April 25, 2000)
For: OPTICAL DATA READER WITH)
CONTROL MECHANISM IMPLEMENTED)
BEHIND THE WINDOW)

AMENDMENT — TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to Office Action in connection with this application.

Applicant(s) petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 [fees: 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1)-(5)] for the total number of months checked below:

EXTENSION (months)	FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY	FEE FOR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$55.00	\$110.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$210.00	\$420.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$475.00	\$950.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$740.00	\$1,480.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months	\$1,005.00	\$2,010.00

Fee \$0.00

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING
(37 C.F.R. §1.8a)

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to the Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Sandi Lekar

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Signature of Person Mailing Paper

June 17, 2004

Date of Deposit

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If an (additional) extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

FEES FOR CLAIMS:

Applicant claims small entity status pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27.

The fees for claims (37 CFR § 1.16(b)-(d)) have been calculated as shown below:

Total Claims	45	-	38	=	7	x	\$18.00	\$126.00
Independent Claims	5	-	4	=	1	x	\$86.00	\$86.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	\$280	(if applicable)				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$0.00	
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS								\$212.00
Reduction by ½ for Filing by Small Entity. Note 37 CFR §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28.								<input type="checkbox"/> \$0.00
TOTAL FEES FOR CLAIMS SUBMITTED HEREWITH								\$212.00

Charge PSC's Deposit Account No. **13-4953** in the amount of **\$212.00**

The Commissioner is authorized to charge PSC's Deposit Account No. **13-4953** for any fees which may be required by this paper that are not covered by the above payment.¹

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: June 17, 2004

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action date March 22, 2004,
please amend the application identified above as follows:

Amendments to the Claims commence at page 2 of this paper
whereby Claims 1-4 and 7 are amended and new Claims 39-45 are
added.

Remarks commence at page 11 of this paper.

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